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Management Plan Review

Compatibility Determination Working Group – Draft Agenda

Date: 30 March 2005

Location: Williams Coast Guard Building

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TIME	TOPICS AND OBJECTIVES
9:30-10:00	•Welcome (coffee and pastries provided)
	•Introductions
	Round Robin (Name, Affiliation, Background, and Interests)
	Review and approval of last meeting summary
	Objective: Familiarization with members.
	Discussion Leader: Susan Farady
10:00-11:00	• Presentation: Limits to Acceptable Change- Steve McCool, Univ. of Montana
	Objective: Understand concept of LAC and how it is applied
11:00-12:15	• Presentation: Compatibility Determination in the National Wildlife Refuge
11.00-12.13	System- Ward Feurt, Rachel Carson National Wildlife Refuge and Gib Chase,
	Northeast Region, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
	Objective: Understand applicability of compatibility determination in NWR sites
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12:30-1:30	Buffet lunch offered at the Barking Crab restaurant (members, advisors, and
	guests only)
1:45-2:45	Compatibility Background: Matrix and Document
	Objective: Understand how various agencies treat compatibility decisions
	Discussion Leader: Susan Farady
2:45-3:30	• Review SAC Action Plans and Advisory Council prioritization of strategies
	Objective: Understand relevant goals and objectives of each Action Plan
	Discussion Leader: Ben
3:30-4:30	• Discussion on Developing a Methodology for Determining Compatibility
	Objective: Determine process to develop a methodology
	Discussion Leader: Susan
4:30-5:00	Next Steps
	Meeting dates